

CLAIM LISTING:

1. (Currently Amended) Surge protector which includes a serpentine or  
technically equivalent film pattern formed on a suitable substrate, wherein the film pattern  
essentially consists of comprises:

a plurality of narrow lines which extend parallel and adjacent close to each other and  
are electrically in parallel relationship to each other, and bridges between the lines; for  
making a high frequency current of a pulse concentrating in edges of the film lines to be  
distributed evenly over the substrate covered by the film pattern by cutting off one of the  
narrow lines between two successive bridges so that a relatively narrow band close to active  
lines is left without current thereby maintaining substantially even distribution of the current.

2. (Currently Amended) Surge protector of claim 1, wherein the number of  
parallel narrow lines is three.

3. (Cancelled)

4. (Currently Amended) Surge protector of claim 1, wherein the film pattern is  
formed between two points so that a length and resistance of each parallel narrow line  
between said points are essentially the same.

5. (Cancelled)